

VENKATESWARLU): (a) and (b) The World Bank has not provided any special loan to improve the water supply in different States. However, it is providing the usual loan

assistance under IDA (International Development Association) Credit and IBRD (International Bank for Reconstruction and Development) loan for the water supply and sanitation projects given in the statement attached.

Statement

List of World Bank aided water supply & sanitation projects

S. No. & Water Supply & Sanitation Schemes (WS&S)	Cost (Rs. in Crores)	External Assistance (Million)	Year of completion/expected date of completion
1. Hyderabad WS&S	337.80	US\$ 89.0	31.3.98
2. II Chennai WS (New Veeranam)	421.40	US\$ 69.4	30.6.2002
3. Mumbai Sewage Disposal	1003.80	US\$ 192.0	31.12.2002
4. Maharashtra Rural WS&S	319.58	US\$ 109.90	31.12.97
5. Karnataka Rural WS&S	447.20	US\$ 92.0	30.6.2000
6. U.P. Rural WS&S	783.38	US\$ 59.60	2002

The names of the places covered under the above mentioned projects are as under:-

- (i) Hyderabad & Secunderabad
- (ii) Chennai
- (iii) Mumbai
- (iv) Satara, Pune, Ahmednagar, Sangli, Thane, Aurangabad, Beed, Latur, Buldhana and Chandrapur.
- (v) Bangalore, Mandya, Mysore, Shimoga, Dhakshina, Bellary, Gulbarga, Raichur, Bidar, Belgaum, Tumkur and Hassan.
- (vi) Tehri, Deoria, Jhansi, Bijnor, Dehradun, Pithoragarh, Nainital, Chamoli, Uttar Kashi, Pauri, Lalitpur, Jalaun, Almora, Hamirpur, Banda, Mirzapur, Sonbhadra and Allahabad.

[English]

Inspection of Chemical Weapons

191. SHRI B.L. SHANKAR:

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Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have thrown open its chemical weapon stockpiles, their production and storage facilities to international inspection;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons thereof;

(c) the likely impact of such inspections on the security of the country; and

(d) the number of countries who have done so in the recent past?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI SALEEM IQBAL SHERVANI): (a) to (c) India is an original State Party to the Chemical Weapons Convention (CWC) which entered into force on 29th April, 1997. The convention requires States Parties to provide certain declaration within stipulated time schedules. Accordingly, India submitted these declarations which contain details of India's chemical weapons' stocks and production facilities, as mandated by the Convention. Government's decision in this regard fully safeguards its commitment to India's security and national interest.

(d) Approximately forty (40) countries have made declarations in accordance with their obligations under the Chemical Weapons Conventions.

Hike in Plan Outlay

192. DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Planning Commission has substantially hiked the annual plan allocation of the current financial year for 10 States of special category including the seven North-Eastern States;

(b) If so, the total annual plan allocation increased to these States for the current year;

(c) whether the Planning Commission has also decided to allocate the funds to these 10 special category States as 90% grant and 10% loan whereas other States are receiving 30% as grant and 70% as loan;

(d) the details of the annual allocation made during the last year to these States and to what extent it is more during the current financial years; and

(e) the details of schemes to be framed for implementation in these States?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRIMATI RATNMALA D. SAVANOOR): (a) to (e) The State-wise Annual Plan outlays for the current Financial year vis-a-vis previous year's outlays in respect of 10 special category States including the 7 North Eastern States are given in the attached statement. Under the Gadgil-Mukherji Formula for allocation of Central Assistance which is in operation since 1991, the central assistance allocated to the 10 special category States is given in the form of 90% grant and 10% loan whereas in respect of other States this ratio is 30:70. The States have the freedom to formulate schemes in different sectors provided these schemes qualify to be taken up as Plan schemes and are in conformity with the national priorities.

Statement

Annual plans-1996-97 & 1997-98—originally approved outlays—special category States

(Rs. Crore)

Sl. No.	States/UTs	Originally Approved Outlays		% age Step Up in 1997-98 over 1996-97
		1996-97	1997-98	
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	520.00*	600.00	15.38
2.	Assam	1434.00*	1500.00	4.60
3.	Himachal Pradesh	900.50	1008.00	11.94
4.	Jammu & Kashmir	1250.00	1550.00	24.00
5.	Manipur	350.00*	410.00	17.14
6.	Meghalaya	370.00*	382.00	3.24
7.	Mizoram	281.00*	290.00	3.20
8.	Nagaland	290.00*	291.00	0.35
9.	Sikkim	192.00*	220.00	14.58
10.	Tripura	370.00*	437.00	18.11

*Exclude provision for Additional Central Assistance for 'Skim Development'.

HUDCO Loan for Calicut Airport

193. SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether any assistance/loan has been extended for the development of Calicut Airport by HUDCO;

(b) if so, the funds allocated so far; and

(c) the terms and conditions for the refund of the loan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT (DR. U. VENKATESWARLU): (a) Yes, Sir Housing and Urban Development Corporation Ltd. (HUDCO) has sanctioned a loan of Rs. 60.00 crores to Malabar International Airport Development Society for development Calicut Airport.

(b) The Society has so far availed loan of Rs. 37.50 crores against the sanctioned amount of Rs. 60.00 crores.

(c) The loan carries interest @ 17.5% per annum and is to be paid back in 9 years in quarterly instalments,